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Unemployment insurance claims for the week ending December 9, 2000

There was a decrease in the number of regular unemployment insurance claims filed in Indiana during the week ending December 9 according to the Department of Workforce Development.

A total of 49,737 unemployment claims were filed during the week. This was down 1,182 from the preceding week. In the same week one year ago, 31,962 unemployment claims were filed.

Initial UI claims totaled 8,491 a decrease of 1,999 over the preceding week's total. Layoffs were reported at one motor vehicle-related plant and one chemical products plant during the week.

Continued UI claims were up to 39,789. The remainder of total unemployment claims were filed by federal civilian employees and ex-military personnel.

UI Benefit STATS

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| Regular state & federal benefits paid | \$7,788,088 |
| Regular benefits paid year to date | \$285,147,876 |
| Trust fund balance | \$1,598,420,331 |

Unemployment Insurance Trends

